

For a Greater Chautauqua in 1911

ABOUT THE CHURCHES.

Interesting News Concerning the Different Denominations.

This Column Closes Promptly at 9 a. m. Each Wednesday.

Rev. W. W. Laughlin and wife spent several days very pleasantly with old friends and acquaintances at Fairfax and Rock Port. They returned home Friday.

PRESBYTERIAN

Regular services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Public invited to all services.

METHODIST

Preaching 11 a. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Junior League 2:30 p. m. Senior League 8:00 p. m. Public cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN

Regular Sunday Services: Bible School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching and Communion at 11 a. m.

Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30. Last Sunday afternoon a Junior Endeavor was organized with 20 members.

The Senior Endeavor took up its work again after a few weeks rest during the hot weather.

At the afternoon meeting of the Official Board plans were made and committees were appointed for the revival meeting to be held in Oct.

Every member of the church is urged to keep the meeting in mind and plan to help make it a season of great blessing to the church and community.

Everyone is cordially invited to all the church services.

ST. JUDES.

Rev. H. C. Goodman, Rector. Services Sunday next XVI after Trinity, 7 a. m., 11 a. m., 7:30 p. m. Wednesdays 8 a. m. Fridays 7:30 p. m.

The Bishop of the Diocese of Mo. will officiate at his annual visitation Tuesday, Sept. 20.

GRACE BAPTIST

The regular services on Sunday. Preaching 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

B. Y. U. 6:30 p. m. Sunday, Miss Lida Lane, leader. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting 7:30 Wednesday p. m.

Woman's Missionary Society meets at the home of Mrs. Nancy Young, Friday 2:30 p. m.

F. M. Churchwell last week received a letter from his son Herman at Evans, Mont., in which he states a killing frost visited that section on the 25th of last month. It is very dry out there and for three weeks the sun was obscured by smoke from the forest fires which were burning in two counties west of there. The fire however was put out by a snow storm and the smoke cleared away.—Shelbyville Herald.

Steve Schafer of Quincy spent Monday with his brother C. Schafer and family.

High School Opens.

Enrollment Wednesday morning, Sept. 7.

Enrollment by Classes.

Senior class 15
Junior class 21
Sophomore class 25
Freshman class 37
Elective 7
Total 105

Number pursuing various subjects:
Algebra 31
Plane Geometry 29
Solid Geometry 18
English 103
German 24
Latin 67
History 69
Agriculture 18
Physics 19
Bookkeeping 12
Commercial arithmetic 29

Exclusive of the 24 who were promoted from the eighth grade there are 22 new students in the High School. About 50 students are in the High School who were not enrolled last year.

The Monroe City High School is fully accredited by our State University, and offers opportunities second to no high school in this section of the country.

E. M. SIPP, Supt.

Surprise Party.

Last Wednesday was Miss Wilma Schafer's fourteenth birthday. Several of her young friends arranged a surprise party for her and of course the evening was spent very pleasantly, in music, games and conversation. Delicious refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Mable Hawkins, Jeanette Vaughn, Bertie Nolen, Juliet Green, Bernice Bixler, Cassie Tooley, Katherine Hayden, Messers William Bull, Gerald Williamson, Ray Anderson, Gordon Hampton, Jim Umstattd, Herbert Lee and Massie Ausberry.

Scholarship For Sale.

If you want to take a course in Telegraphy, Shorthand, or Commercial Bookkeeping, in either the Moberly or Sedalia Commercial School, you should see the Democrat. We have a scholarship in each school to dispose of.

Train Robbery In St. Louis.

Burlington train No. 15 which is due here about 1 o'clock a. m., was robbed in St. Louis, Tuesday night. The train left Union Station at 9:01 p. m. As the train was leaving the shed a man with his face partly covered boarded the train shot J. W. Wine of Clarence, the flagman, and locked the porter up in a toilet room. The robber then proceeded to rob a few passengers making one of the unarmed train men assist him. On reaching the second car the door was locked so the robber jumped from the train and escaped. This is one of the boldest robberies ever undertaken.

The Burlington offers a reward of \$1000 for him.

The Rug That Curls Up.

Every housekeeper has at some stage of her experience been worried by a rug which would curl up at the ends. Pressing did no good; the curl would stay. Perhaps she learned before the rug wore out that strips of stiff buckram sewed on the under side of the rug would hold it in place.

Stock Sale Saturday, Sept. 10.

ITEMS FROM FARMERS

Of Farmers, For Farmers and Pertaining to Farmers.

When you figure on a sale and want Col W T Youell to cry it, call Elbert Yates at the F & M Bank. He can give you the Colonels dates.

Stock Sale.

The Monthly Stock Sale of the Commercial Club will be Saturday Sept. 10.

Pasture to Rent—About 360 acres good grass, plenty of running water. Will rent all or take in stock by head. J S Elzea, Phone 27C. tf.

For Sale—A few male and female O. I. C. pigs. —R E Redman. 9-8

Seed Wheat For Sale.

About 400 bushels of Seed Wheat can be seen at Henry Greens' feed store. —C M Sullivan.

G. L. Turner will sell at public sale on what is known as the Sebe Moyers farm 6 miles Southeast of Monroe City and 1 1-4 west of Sidney, Thursday, September 15, the following: 6 good horses, 4 Short Horn cows, 1 Jersey, 3 male calves, a lot of hogs, farm implements, 80 acres of corn to be sold in the field; 20 or 25 tons hay in stack. W. T. Youell auctioneer.

I L Owen has been quite busy delivering fertilizer to his many customers.

T E Fitzpatrick reports the sale of the John Carrico farm to Chas Ryan.

R B Sandifer sold 7 coming 3-year old mules to T J Yates.

At Centralia there were fourteen horses shown in the big saddle ring for \$1,000 and they were fine ones too. Buckman Bros, Bob McDonald captured the second premium. This speaks well for their horse as there were fine horses in the ring from Missouri, Illinois and Kentucky. Consequently it was quite an honor to win and shows that Buckman Bros have extra fine horses.

On account of his health E T Clark will sell at public sale at his farm 1 mile west of Ely and 5 miles east of Monroe City on Wednesday Sept. 21. Several splendid horses, 18 high grade Jersey cows and heifers, 100 Oxford and Hampshire ewes, 2 registered Hampshire bucks, 19 hogs, a lot of farm implements. Youell and Lillard are the auctioneers and M B Proctor is the clerk. Don't forget the date.

FOR SALE S. C. Brown Leghorn cockrels from select pen of birds at 50c each. Mrs. Byron McFarland. tf

John L. Owen took 8 head of cattle to the Hannibal market and bought from Arch Schafer 1, Friend Saunders 5, John Madden 1, Shell Hornback 2, Cecil Dawson 1.

Chas. L. Elzea went to Omaha and bought 2 loads of fine 2-year-old steers to feed.

Farmers are all smiles over the prospects of a big crop.

D K Yowell of the firm of Cleek & Yowell reports the sale of farms as follows: Will Redman 101 acres west of town, Dr Johnson 121 acres west of town, W H Elliott 80 acres east of town, Ennis Tooley 80 acres east of town and a 160 acre farm

south of Shelbyville. Illinois parties bought all of these farms.

Market Report.

For Wednesday before date of paper.

Cattle.....	\$4.00 @ 7.00
Hogs.....	8.00 @ 8.50
Sheep.....	3.00 @ 4.00
Lambs.....	3.00 @ 5.00

Poultry

Hens.....	11c
Spring chickens pound and quarter and over 1 1-2.....	12c
Old Roosters.....	05c
Ducks.....	09c
Turkey Hens.....	10c
Young Toms.....	10c
Toms.....	10c
Guineas, each.....	17c
Geese.....	06c
Eggs Canded.....	18c
Tallow.....	04c
Butter.....	19c
Green Hides.....	07c
Corn.....	05c
Wheat No. 2.....	90c
Oats.....	26 to 28c
Hay.....	\$10.00
Baled hay.....	\$12.00 to 14.00

Shipments light. Barger & McClintic 1 car sheep; T J Yates 1 car of hogs; Henderson-Morris Produce Co 1 car of poultry. Total 3 cars.

Mary Skees Dead.

W. T. Skees of Canby, Oregon, came in Monday from Chicago where he was called by the sickness and death of his sister Mary Agnes Skees, the beloved wife of H. E. Burnett. Deceased was born and reared at Indian Creek. She taught several terms of school and at one time was a clerk in this city. She was a bright, vivacious young lady and numbered her friends by the number of her acquaintances. In 1898 she went to Chicago and became a trained nurse and patiently cared for the suffering and dying for several years. On the 11th of last December she married H. E. Burnett her now greatly bereaved husband. She was a devout Catholic and lived and died happy in her religion. Many are the kind charitable deeds to her credit. She was a noble Christian woman and altho only thirty-three years of age she did much to relieve suffering humanity. Her father, J. J. Skees was an old G. A. R. veteran and the sisters of the order buried her with honors. All of this was greatly appreciated by Messrs W. T. Skees and H. E. Burnett and they desire to express their thanks. Mrs. Burnett died Thursday Sept. 1. After funeral ceremonies the body was tenderly laid to rest in Oakridge cemetery, Chicago. Her many friends here will regret to hear of her death but know she has gone to her eternal home in Heaven.

The Parochial School.

The Parochial School opened Tuesday with over 130 pupils, the largest in the history of the school. This shows the thoroughness of the work done. Sister Veronica is in charge of the school in which there are four teachers. This is one of the best educational institutions in Missouri and we are pleased to note that it is increasing its number of pupils.

Mrs. D. H. Stevens is visiting in Fairfield, Ill.

Mrs. Will Goodnight of Ely has been visiting in Monroe.

STAND PATTERS LOSE

In Five States. LaFollette Among the Winners.

Five States held primaries Tuesday and each repudiated the republican stand pat element.

LaFollette was nominated for the U. S. Senate from Wisconsin by a big majority over the Taft-Aldrich candidate.

Sen. Burrows the Michigan Aldrich-Taft candidate was defeated.

Indications are that the Aldrich crowd are routed even in New Hampshire.

California is in the hands of the insurgents.

Preachers Assigned.

The Missouri Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, South, closed its session at Plattsburg Monday evening. It has been suggested that the conference be permanently located at Fayette as free invitations do not come to the conference. Bishop Collins Denny read the appointments Monday evening.

Hannibal District Presiding Elder, H. D. Thompson; Canton station, F. Marvin; Hannibal, Arch street, V. O. White; Hannibal, Park church, C. C. Grimes; Hunnewell circuit, to be supplied; Kahoka station, T. A. Allison; LaBelle circuit, J. O. Whitworth; LaGrange circuit, to be supplied by W. I. Brown; Lewiston circuit, C. I. Hoy; Monroe City station, W. P. Wynn; Monroe City circuit, W. S. Rooker; Monticello circuit, O. Blackburn; New London circuit, D. R. McBee; Palmyra station, William M. Alexander; Palmyra circuit, to be supplied by E. F. Cooley; Perry circuit, J. M. Hornback; Oakwood and Saverton, to be supplied by J. S. Frazier; Shelbyville station, F. E. Mosley; Shelbyville circuit, B. F. Leake; Wayland circuit, to be supplied by J. W. Manuel; Professor in Vanderbilt University, O. E. Brown, assistant secretary to the secretary of the board of church extension, E. S. Watson.

Other preachers known in Monroe were assigned work as follows: Robert White, Brunswick; J. A. Snarr, Keytesville Station; M. F. Crowe, Salisbury; E. E. Bostwick, Lineville; T. P. Middleton, Maysville Station; G. A. Lehnhoff, Presiding Elder Macon district; H. H. Johnson, Clarence Station; S. H. Milam, Belleflower circuit; E. L. Rutledge, Clarksville; I. T. Nash, St Charles Station; D. F. Bone, St. Joseph Centenary; Rev. Thompson Penn, located.

Col J. R. B. Kidd has been in his glory during the past week. Saturday he sold at auction the Wood livery stock and covered himself with glory. Then Tuesday he went to Palmyra and sold for S. H. Griffin the furniture in the Phoenix hotel and then to be certainly made good as Mr. Griffin told us that the Col. sold for \$1.05 some chairs which new cost only 90 cents.

Just as we go to press we learn that Dr. W. B. A. McNutt was to be taken to Quincy on No. 4 Wednesday. Were not able to learn whether it was a case for operation or not. Hope he will soon be restored to health again.